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New U.S. Patent Application
Title: A FORCEPS AND COLLECTION ASSEMBLY WITH
ACCOMPANYING MECHANISMS AND RELATED METHODS OF
USE
Inventors: Adam L. COHEN et al.

Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application - 45 pages, including 6 independent claims, 77 claims total, and one abstract page.
2. Drawings - 10 sheets drawings for Figs. 1, 2A-2B, 3, 4, 5A-5B, 6A-6D, 7A-7D, 8A-8D, 9A-9B, 10A-10C.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
4. Recordation Form Cover Sheet and Assignment to Scimed Life Systems, Inc.
5. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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Basic Application Filing Fee				\$750	\$ 750.00
	Number of Claims	Basic	Extra Claims		
Total Claims	77	-	20	57 x \$18	1,026.00
Independent Claims	6	-	3	3 x \$84	252.00
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6. A check for \$2,068.00 to cover the \$750.00 filing fee, \$1,278.00 extra claims fee, and \$40.00 Assignment recordation fee.

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Please accord this application an application number and filing date, and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees due and any other fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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